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ALL SUPREME SENSATIONAL SURPRISES HERE.

INVINCIBLE ARTISTS IN DEATH-DEFYING FEATS TWICE DAILY.

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LARGEST "RAILROAD" CONCERN PROPELLED BY STEAM.

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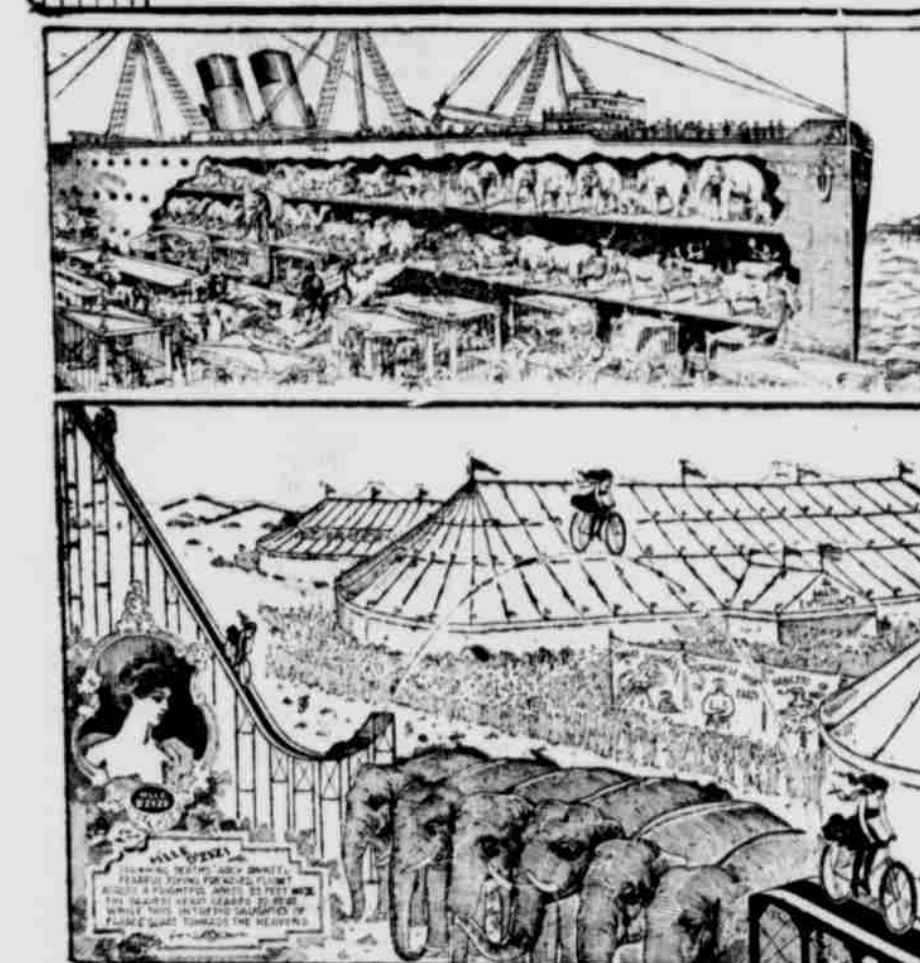
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3 STAGES—103 Educated Quadrupeds.  
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**The Year's Best Treat.** Don't Wait to See Others. THERE ARE NONE.

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So you will say after your visit to our Triple Menageries where are to be found the Finest and Rarest Representatives of all Teeming Earth's Most Curious Creatures. LIVING PHENOMENA OF EVERY RACE, CLIME AND COUNTRY.

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**WORLD'S MATCHLESS MAJESTIC MARVELOUS STREET PARADE OF MOVING WONDERS**

Open Dens of Wild Beasts, Strange Brutes in Leash, Cute Ponies, Handsome Horses, Glittering Golden Chariots, Herds of Elephants and Camels, & Big Brass Bands, Gay Cavalcades, Magnificent Wardrobe and Countless Surprising Features. A Gorgeous Professional Spectacle.

EVERY MORNING RAIN OR SHINE AT 10 O'CLOCK.

**MARION**  
**Sat. Aug. 31**

**OLU.**  
Rev. E. D. Boggess, mother and Huteh Young went to Greenville last Monday.

Song Evangelist, Chas. Lear, is at home after an absence of several weeks in revivals.

Lee Kemper, of Livingston county, spent Sunday in Tolu.

Miss Jessie Malcom, of Blooming Rose, is with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Watson, who has been sick for several weeks.

Mrs. Forest Harris is on the sick list.

Charlie Taylor visited in Sturgis last week.

Rev. Sydney Moore and wife, of Lebanon Junction, Ky., visited relatives here the first of the week.

**LILLY DALE.**

Bart Jacobs and wife, of Paducah, are visiting friends in this section.

Miss Lillie Deboe, who attended the Fair at Uniontown, at the same time guest of her brothers, of that place, returned home Monday.

Bro. Oakley filled his regular appointment at Crayneville Saturday and Sunday, preaching a fine sermon to a large crowd.

D. W. Deboe visited his daughter Friday.

Edward Woodall, of near here, has typhoid fever.

Ernest Ordway is on the sick list. Cass Eddings, of Fairview, visited at Geo. Stallion's Saturday and Sunday. What is the attraction, Cass?

Misses Nona and Grace Deboe and Reatha Brown visited Miss Lucy Bradford, of Crayneville, Sunday.

Misses Nona and Estelle Howard, of Fairview, attended services at Crayneville Sunday.

Mrs. Lemon Stallion, of Fairview, visited relatives in this section last week.

Miss Bertha Stallions visited Lemon Stallion, of Fairview, Wednesday.

**CAVE-IN-ROCK.**

Our town will soon have completed a new \$5600 school house. It will be worth more to the country than a dozen one hundred thousand dollar saloons.

Our bank was recently moved into their new and commodious brick building. When they finish their vault, etc. they will have one of the nicest and best furnished banks in the southern end of the state.

Capt. Joe Waggoner is pushing the work of installing machinery at the Eureka mines. This has long been known to be a very rich mine, but has not been worked much.

The Cave-in-Rock Mining Co. will soon have their new plant ready for business. This is the plant which was burned last spring. The other mines at Lead Hill are running on full time.

Since the saloons closed we have no use for a marshal.

**FAIRVIEW.**

The ice cream supper at Rodney was all O. K.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. James visited in Marion Sunday.

Mrs. Frances Hall visited friends and relatives near Dycusburg last week.

Ode Conyer informs us that he will make his home in the city of Paducah soon.

Jim Hall had the misfortune of getting his foot mashed in a hay baler.

Every body invited to attend the ice cream supper at Clem Moran's Saturday night.

**FORDS FERRY.**

Miss Smart, a sister of Prof. M. C. Smart, will teach the Fords Ferry school.

Misses Eula Clement and Ruth Cook are visiting in Blackford.

G. H. Kirk traded horses last week with Will Franks.

Mrs. Clement was the guest of Mrs. Clift Friday afternoon.

Harvey Powell will teach the Heath school.

Henry Truitt is preparing to build a residence on his farm.

Master Herman Clift was at Rodney Friday.

Charlie Daniels has been quite sick.

Chester Cleghorn purchased some hogs from G. H. Kirk recently.

Dan Green is contemplating going to the Ozark mountains for his health.

The protracted meeting at Dunn Springs will commence after the campmeeting at Hurricane closes.

The Ohio is rising slowly.

The corn crop of this vicinity is in fine condition.

Pastures of all kinds are in a most excellent condition.

Will Boswell and wife were in Marion Friday.

Claude Truitt was here recently in the interest of his photograph business.

Several from here attended the cleaning off of the cemetery at Mt. Zion Saturday.

Lee Rankin was the guest of W. B. Wilborn Sunday.

Tom Williams has lately purchased some fine mules from Cam Hill and Roe Williams.

Mesdames Elizabeth Kirk, Louisa Clift, Carrie Wofford, Belle Hughes and Della Hughes were the guests of Mrs. Julia Williams Monday.

Tom Williams, one of the leading citizens of this vicinity, is going to move to Missouri. He has sold his farm to Lee Rankin, consideration \$2500. Mr. Williams will leave for his new home Monday, Aug. 26.

J. S. Newcom, of Weston, was through this vicinity Thursday.

Jas. L. Rankin, of Marion, spent several days here last week.

E. L. Nunn, of Rodney, was in this vicinity Tuesday.

There is a scheme on foot to form a new county out of portions of Union, Webster and Crittenden with Sturgis as the county seat. We hope that the leading citizens of the three counties named will unite in denouncing this seditious movement, and bring to light the contemptible chicanery that is being employed in this connection. Let it be proclaimed that the people will not tolerate such high-handed trickery, and that as privileged Americans they demand a square deal.

**Lost, Strayed or Stolen.**

One black horse about twelve years old, white hind foot and white spot in face, fore feet shod, from my place on Tuesday night, Aug. 13. Write or telephone.

J. W. ARMSTRONG,  
Sheridan, Ky.

**TIMOTHY OAKS.**

W. R. Cruce and wife returned to New Orleans Thursday.

Nemie Stovall is on the sick list.

H. K. Woods and family, of Marion, visited Press Ford's Sunday.

Bunnon Paris, of Pleasant Hill, was in our section Sunday.

We would suggest to the Salem scribe that if he cannot get anything better in the way of a road to Salem to try and get the one he has double tracked, so he can go on and not be sidetracked all the time for wagons to pass.

Several went from here to Hurricane camp meeting Sunday.

Ed. Young was at Eddyville Sunday.

The road from here to Marion is in the best condition we have ever seen it.

Lawrence Crider, of Marion, was in our section Sunday.

Miss Nola Howard and brother, of Fairview, were visiting Matt Waddell's Sunday.

Frank Ramey, of Mayfield, visited Ed. Waddell last week.

Scott Paris and James Agee are building additions to their tobacco barns.

Bob Elkins and family were at Repton and Weston Friday.

Miss Ina Hillyard, of Fredonia, visited Miss Dora Adams last week.

Will Adams hauled lumber from Salem last week to complete his new residence.

**CROOKED CREEK.**

Health is good here.

Rev. Kingsolver filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday. He never fails.

J. H. McMican and wife, of Piney visited G. W. Arfack Saturday night.

Bailis Paris and family, of Hebron, visited Mrs. Jane Fritts Saturday and Sunday.

The protracted meeting begins at this place the second Sunday in Oct.

Bob McMican, of Blodgett, Mo., is visiting his father, J. C. B. McMican.

J. M. Fritts returned from Salem Sunday.

Anthony Murphey had a barn raising Wednesday.

Matt McMican returned from Pond River Saturday.

Walter Thurman and Walter Herig went to Pond River Monday.

Matt McMican and and Bernie Marvel left Monday for Salem.

**LOST**—A dump lever to a hay rake, between Pent Griffith's shop and Crooked Creek, about Aug. 7. Finder will please let the fact be known to J. G. Thurman.

Miss Dorah Stephens returned from a visit to friends in Dawson Tuesday.

**WANTED.**

A few (colored men) for laborers in foundry. No trouble, good wages, steady work for competent men. Plenty of colored people here. Colored schools and churches; good town to live in. Apply to

MT. VERNON CAR MFG. CO.,  
Mt. Vernon, Ill.

**FOR SALE.**—Two mules, farm wagon and harness, on time with good note.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and clears the whole system of coughs and colds. It promptly relieves inflammation of the throat and allays irritation. Sold by J. H. Orme.

**IRON HILL.**

G. L. Rankin, of Weston, was in this vicinity Sunday and Monday.

A fine boy arrived at Sherman Curry's the 23.

J. E. Dean and daughter, Florence were visiting in this community a few days last week.

Geo. D. Lamb and daughter, Elvah, are quite sick at present.

Geo. Hill and family were guests of relatives near Weston Saturday and Sunday.

Ed. Dean and William Lamb were selected as delegates to attend the State Sunday School Convention, which convenes at Madisonville this week.

Mrs. S. A. Lamb is having a new tobacco barn erected.

Born to the wife of Clyde McConnell, Aug. 25, a fine girl, all are doing well.

A large and enthusiastic number of farmers met with the A. S. of E. here Saturday afternoon. Ex-county judge Towery was selected to represent this district in the County meeting at Marion. After which the "Judge" mounted a pile of lumber and with his quiet, refined "corn-field oratory" entertained the crowd with a two hours speech. He went after the tobacco trust in vigorous style, convincing his hearers that it was to their interest to stand together and pool their tobacco. Considerably over two hundred acres have been pooled in the Olive Branch local, alone. Efforts are being made to have the pooled tobacco handled at Marion, it being nearer the producers here and they prefer to deliver at home. But in the event that satisfactory arrangements cannot be made, hundreds of dollars will be spent elsewhere that home needs.

Miss Willie Miles, of near Tolu, is the guest of Miss Katie Vandell.

Miss Mabel Freeman is the guest of Miss Nelle Williams.

Prof. V. G. Kee, of Ripley, Tenn., is in the city this week, visiting his former pupils and friends.

H. G. Whitney, of Water Valley, Miss., spent Sunday in this city.

The republican county convention met Saturday to nominate a candidate for assessor, to fill the vacancy recently made by the death of Dr. J. A. Davidson, J. A. Davidson, deputy assessor, and father of the former officer, was given the nomination.

Mrs. G. U. Dollar was the guest of friends in Fredonia Sunday.

**FREDONIA.**

Mrs. Overby, wife of Rev. Overby, formerly pastor of the C. P. church here, is visiting friends here.

J. D. Elmore and wife, of Louisville, and Hal Paton and wife, of Hampton, were visiting relatives here last week.

R. R. Bransford spent Sunday with his mother at Dawson Springs.

Mrs. J. S. Henry, of Marion, was visiting relatives here the first of the week.

Flour 50 cents per sack.

Bennett & Son.

Charlie Morgan, the Blackford miller, spent Sunday here.

A protracted meeting is in progress at Bethlehem church.

Prof. Crow is attending the institute at Princeton this week.

Uncle John Parr left Tuesday for a visit to his son in Missouri.

Rev. Miller was called to Clay, Ky. on Thursday to conduct a funeral service.

Salt \$1.50 per barrel.

Bennett & Son.

Milton Maxwell and wife are spending a few days with relatives in Hopkinsville.

Mr. Moore, of Milan, Tenn., was here last week visiting relatives near Arfack church. He moved from this place to Tennessee several years ago and is well pleased with that state.

**FOR SALE.**

A desirable home in Marion, my house and lot on Walker street. Six rooms and hall, front and back porch. Lot 100 x 180 ft. and 10 ft. alley. In fine repair. Good garden and some fruit, water on back porch. A bargain at \$1500, one-half cash and balance on twelve months time with 6 per cent interest. Call on or write me at Salem, Ky.

FELIX COX.

**Notice.**

Notice is hereby given that I will make application on Tuesday, Sept. 3, 1907, to the Kentucky Board of Prison Commissioners for the parole of my son, John D. Gregory, who is serving a sentence of two years in Eddyville Branch Penitentiary for malicious striking. The period of imprisonment under said sentence began April, 4, 1907.

R. B. GREGORY.

Marion, Ky., Aug. 21, 1907.

**LAST WEEK'S LOCALS.**

Misses Annie and Rebecca Phillips spent Tuesday with Mrs. R. L. Moore.

Miss Madeline Jenkins entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday, Miss Marion Clement and her guest, Miss Myers.

Miss Mary Louise Myers, of Crider, Ky., was the guest of Miss Marion Clement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Venner left Tuesday night for a trip through the West. They will be gone about a month.

Rev. Ben Andres and J. W. Blue were in Fulton the first of the week.

Mrs. J. G. Gilbert returned Sunday from Benton, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Fiske. She was accompanied home by her granddaughter, Irene Fiske.

Mrs. G. D. Summerville left Monday for Harrisburg, Ill., where she will visit relatives.

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